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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 2, 2004, in connection with the above-identified application, enclosed herewith please find a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application document that has been executed by the inventor. Also enclosed please find a check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the surcharge. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account 08-2623.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts is also enclosed. Please note that the Assignment documents have been submitted to the Assignment Branch under separate cover on June 24, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

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